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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 18, 2004, applicant hereby elects to prosecute Group I, Claims 1-17, 20-35, 46-47, and 50-52, drawn to drop-on demand inkjet printhead with piezoelectric element. Applicant makes this election without prejudice and reserves the right to prosecute the remaining Groups II-IV (Claims 18-19, 36-43, 44-45, 48-49, 53, and 54-55) at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,

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